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Washington, D.C. 20231PRELIMINARY AMENDMENTPrior to examination, please ~~amend~~ the application as follows:In the claims:Amend ~~claims~~ 4, 5, 15 and 16 as follows:

4. (Once Amended) A system according to claim 2, wherein
said system further comprises a Web server which is located on the network and has a
Web site from which the request key can be acquired, and
said notary server comprises URL information notification means for transmitting by
electronic mail URL information of the Web site to an electronic mail address designated by said
first terminal apparatus.

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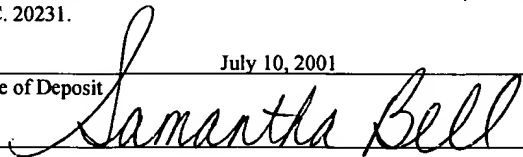
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